



St. Paulinus Catholic Primary School

Inspiring all to live, learn and love in the light of Jesus.

(cf John 8:12)



17th May, 2021

Dear Parents / Carers,



This Sunday (23rd May) the church celebrates the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, ending the Easter season. Pentecost, meaning "fiftieth day", is celebrated seven weeks (50 days) after Easter Sunday, hence its name. During his life Jesus promised the apostles and his followers, that he would not leave them on their own, that He would always be with them.

On Pentecost Sunday we remember that Jesus keeps His promises. He said He would send the Holy Spirit to guide and strengthen His followers, and He did just that. The Holy Spirit has been and will be with us always. In the power of that Spirit, we have been able to grow in our love of God and in our ability to see Christ in others. The Spirit of Jesus helps us to grow in respect for one another and to pray and work for people in need.



To celebrate the feast of Pentecost, the children can come to school on **Friday, 21st May** wearing all white or an item of white clothing. During the day children will be involved in activities based on the Pentecostal story and the Holy Spirit.

Children will come into school as a disciple and leave as an apostle.

Thank you for your continued support.

St. Paulinus

'An outstanding school, which is deeply committed to the Catholic mission... this school inspires all within this faith community to live life to the full.' Ofsted 2017

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